ECO Example (Birth – 3)

Name: Lucinda Doe

DOB: 8/10/04

Chronological age: 24 months

Service Coordinator/Region: Suzy White / Region 11

SPOE ID Number: 790010089

Test Administered: Hawaii Early Learning Profile (HELP)

Date of Evaluation: 8/22/06

Evaluator: Sally Black

Cognition: Functional age is 19 months. Lucinda uses symbolic play with a telephone, but her mother has not seen her engage in any other symbolic play. She imitates gestures. She cannot open a door by turning a knob. She does not yet point to pictures in books. Lucinda will follow simple 2-step directions, such as "go get your shoes and bring them to Mommy." She does not yet sort or match objects or consistently match sounds to animals.

Language: Functional age is 12 months. Lucinda responds to approximately 10-12 commands and will wave bye-bye. She will attend to picture in books for approximately 2 minutes. She has difficulty pointing to named objects and recognizing large body parts. Her mother reports that she started saying "Mama" and "Dada" around 12 months of age, but no longer will do that. She does not typically verbalize or use gestures to indicate her needs.

Gross Motor: Functional age is 20 months. Lucinda walks forward on level surfaces and climbs on furniture but falls frequently. She will walk up/down 3 steps with assistance. She can throw a large ball but lacks the focus to catch balls. She enjoys watching the Wiggles and will attempt to imitate the dance moves with encouragement.

Fine Motor: Functional age is 15 months. Lucinda holds a crayon with a fisted grasp. She can place and remove 2 pegs from a pegboard but does not yet use a pincer grasp. She will turn pages in a book but loses patience quickly. She is able to stack 3-4 blocks, scribbles, and will turn pages in a book.

Social/Emotional: Functional age is 20 months. Lucinda has difficulty separating from her parents in familiar surroundings. She has frequent tantrums and often hits others or throws objects. She insists on being the center of attention and is very possessive of her mother, especially when she is paying attention to Lucinda's brother. She will give hugs and kisses to her family, if asked to, but rarely does this spontaneously. Lucinda enjoys playing "dress-up" with her cousin, Kim and other activities involving pretend play.

Self-Help: Functional age is 18 months. Lucinda drinks from a sippy cup but cannot yet feed herself. She will not cooperate with dressing and often tantrums when her mother is dressing her. She especially dislikes wearing shoes and will often cry until her shoes are removed. Lucinda no longer naps during the day. She sleeps approximately 10 hours per night, but wakes 2-4 times during the night.